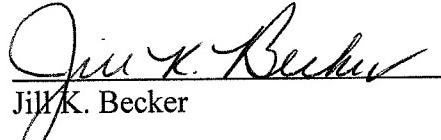


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action with a mailing date of August 15, 2008, response to which is due by November 17, 2008 without extension (November 15 fell on a Saturday), and which is therefore being timely filed, kindly consider the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.